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Dear Sir:

The above-identified patent application has been indicated as abandoned because the SPOT apparently has not entered Applicants response to the Notice of Missing Requirements into the file. Applicants response was in fact received by the USPTO as indicated by the copy of the attached postcard. Copies of the response and all accompanying documents are attached. Also attached is the IDS filed March 17, 2003.

Withdrawal of the holding of abandonment is respectfully requested.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency in the fees filed, asserted to be filed or which should have been filed herewith (or with any paper hereafter filed in this application by this firm) to our Deposit Account No. 50-0624, under Order No. NY-DNAG 224-US.

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